

Please amend the subject application as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION

Please amend the paragraph beginning at page 29, line 4 and ending at page 29, line 11 (¶ 0125) as follows:

--According to this exemplary embodiment of the invention, the spacer 192 for maintaining the cell gap between the first and second substrates 100 and 200 is used as an insulator while the first and second substrates 100 and 200 are manufactured. The conductor 129a formed on the insulator 300 applies the common voltage applied to the first substrate 100 to the common electrode 220 of the second substrate 200. Thus, the manufacturing processes for the LCD apparatus 600 is simplified and the LCD apparatus 600 may be manufactured at a lower cost since the LCD apparatus does not use a gold (Au) spacer.--